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**OFFICE OF PETITIONS****OFFICIAL****AMENDMENT IN SUPPORT OF RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.78 (a)(6)****Please Deliver to Paul Shanowski  
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Decision On Petition mailed March 10, 2004.  
Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please delete the following paragraph at Page 1, line 3:

**-Cross Reference to Related Applications**

This patent application claims priority to U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No.  
60/225,353, filed on August 15, 2000.—

Please insert the following paragraph at Page 1, line 3:

**-Cross Reference to Related Application**

-- This Non-Provisional Utility Patent Application claims the benefit of the filing date of U.S.  
Provisional Application Serial Number 60/225,353, filed on August 15, 2000, entitled "LIGHT  
PROTECTION DEVICE".